

# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Massachusetts

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	428	366	479	476	1,749
FC - Child Specific	63	60	137	243	503
FC - Unrestricted	623	374	435	630	2,062
FC - Pre-Adoptive	169	123	131	30	453
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	13	13
FC - IFC (contracted)	161	137	419	1,062	1,779
CC - Group Home	---	2	89	618	709
CC - Residential	---	1	114	622	737
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	1	7	47	273	328
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	12	10	34	340	396
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,457</b>	<b>1,080</b>	<b>1,885</b>	<b>4,307</b>	<b>8,729</b>

### Massachusetts

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity								Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Other <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(7)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	985	234	359	17	7	1	77	69	1,749
FC - Child Specific	255	66	130	10	3	---	17	22	503
FC - Unrestricted	868	337	575	56	2	---	124	100	2,062
FC - Pre-Adoptive	245	49	100	5	---	---	26	28	453
FC - Independent Living	9	1	2	---	---	---	1	---	13
FC - IFC (contracted)	719	366	542	27	---	1	73	51	1,779
CC - Group Home	371	143	163	5	1	---	13	13	709
CC - Residential	375	152	164	8	---	---	21	17	737
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	157	62	76	4	---	---	18	11	328
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	144	76	135	17	1	1	9	13	396
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,128</b>	<b>1,486</b>	<b>2,246</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>8,729</b>

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## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### West Regional Office

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Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	84	69	81	78	312
FC - Child Specific	24	21	35	63	143
FC - Unrestricted	157	110	119	170	556
FC - Pre-Adoptive	51	27	29	3	110
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	4	4
FC - IFC (contracted)	22	26	95	255	398
CC - Group Home	---	---	8	111	119
CC - Residential	---	---	18	79	97
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	1	1	7	47	56
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	2	1	8	75	86
<b>Total</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>885</b>	<b>1,881</b>

### West Regional Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	201	33	51	---	19	8	312
FC - Child Specific	73	15	44	1	4	6	143
FC - Unrestricted	232	51	204	2	38	29	556
FC - Pre-Adoptive	44	11	39	1	6	9	110
FC - Independent Living	4	---	---	---	---	---	4
FC - IFC (contracted)	153	81	143	---	16	5	398
CC - Group Home	60	16	40	---	1	2	119
CC - Residential	39	18	36	---	2	2	97
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	28	7	18	---	1	2	56
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	26	14	42	1	2	1	86
<b>Total</b>	<b>860</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>617</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>1,881</b>

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## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Greenfield Area Office

**Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08**  
**Age Groups by Type of Placement**

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	20	8	15	14	57
FC - Child Specific	7	6	7	16	36
FC - Unrestricted	16	11	16	35	78
FC - Pre-Adoptive	6	7	4	2	19
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	2	2
FC - IFC (contracted)	1	5	13	28	47
CC - Group Home	---	---	2	18	20
CC - Residential	---	---	4	11	15
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	2	8	10
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	2	9	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>295</b>

### Greenfield Area Office

**Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08**  
**Race by Type of Placement**

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Unable to Determine	Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>		
FC - Kinship	50	1	2	---	3	1	57
FC - Child Specific	32	2	1	1	---	---	36
FC - Unrestricted	55	2	13	---	5	3	78
FC - Pre-Adoptive	13	1	3	1	1	---	19
FC - Independent Living	2	---	---	---	---	---	2
FC - IFC (contracted)	36	2	6	---	1	2	47
CC - Group Home	15	1	3	---	1	---	20
CC - Residential	13	1	1	---	---	---	15
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	7	1	2	---	---	---	10
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	4	2	4	1	---	---	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>295</b>

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### Holyoke Area Office

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Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	7	6	10	17	40
FC - Child Specific	3	1	7	18	29
FC - Unrestricted	40	26	34	42	142
FC - Pre-Adoptive	9	3	11	1	24
FC - IFC (contracted)	---	2	24	53	79
CC - Group Home	---	---	1	22	23
CC - Residential	---	---	4	19	23
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	2	9	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	3	9	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>383</b>

### Holyoke Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	25	2	12	---	1	40
FC - Child Specific	7	2	16	---	4	29
FC - Unrestricted	33	7	89	2	11	142
FC - Pre-Adoptive	7	1	13	---	3	24
FC - IFC (contracted)	23	17	38	1	---	79
CC - Group Home	10	1	12	---	---	23
CC - Residential	8	3	11	1	---	23
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	3	1	7	---	---	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	3	3	5	---	1	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>383</b>

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### Pittsfield Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	30	32	28	20	110
FC - Child Specific	5	7	5	7	24
FC - Unrestricted	45	20	30	30	125
FC - Pre-Adoptive	7	4	8	---	19
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	2	2
FC - IFC (contracted)	6	2	12	37	57
CC - Group Home	---	---	---	13	13
CC - Residential	---	---	2	9	11
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	---	13	13
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	1	5	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>380</b>

### Pittsfield Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	81	10	5	12	2	110
FC - Child Specific	18	3	1	2	---	24
FC - Unrestricted	87	7	9	21	1	125
FC - Pre-Adoptive	16	---	---	3	---	19
FC - Independent Living	2	---	---	---	---	2
FC - IFC (contracted)	39	4	6	8	---	57
CC - Group Home	12	1	---	---	---	13
CC - Residential	6	1	2	1	1	11
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	8	3	1	---	1	13
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	6	---	---	---	---	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>380</b>

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## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Robert Van Wart Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	16	12	12	20	60
FC - Child Specific	2	2	6	8	18
FC - Unrestricted	30	27	19	17	93
FC - Pre-Adoptive	8	3	2	---	13
FC - IFC (contracted)	5	8	17	51	81
CC - Group Home	---	---	4	35	39
CC - Residential	---	---	1	20	21
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	1	1	9	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	---	16	16
<b>Total</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>352</b>

### Robert Van Wart Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	39	2	17	1	1	60
FC - Child Specific	10	1	4	2	1	18
FC - Unrestricted	42	7	26	9	9	93
FC - Pre-Adoptive	5	1	5	1	1	13
FC - IFC (contracted)	37	19	20	3	2	81
CC - Group Home	20	5	13	---	1	39
CC - Residential	9	4	8	---	---	21
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	6	1	3	1	---	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	8	1	5	2	---	16
<b>Total</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>352</b>

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## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Springfield Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	11	11	16	6	44
FC - Child Specific	7	5	10	14	36
FC - Unrestricted	26	25	19	46	116
FC - Pre-Adoptive	20	9	4	---	33
FC - IFC (contracted)	10	9	29	86	134
CC - Group Home	---	---	1	23	24
CC - Residential	---	---	7	20	27
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	1	---	2	8	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	2	1	2	36	41
<b>Total</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>466</b>

### Springfield Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	6	17	15	---	3	3	44
FC - Child Specific	6	7	22	---	---	1	36
FC - Unrestricted	15	28	65	2	1	5	116
FC - Pre-Adoptive	3	8	17	---	1	4	33
FC - IFC (contracted)	18	39	73	---	3	1	134
CC - Group Home	3	8	12	---	---	1	24
FC - IFC (contracted)	3	9	14	---	---	1	27
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	4	1	5	---	---	1	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	5	8	28	---	---	---	41
<b>Total</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>466</b>

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### Central Regional Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	77	66	92	58	293
FC - Child Specific	16	13	34	41	104
FC - Unrestricted	92	58	78	84	312
FC - Pre-Adoptive	19	32	18	6	75
FC - IFC (contracted)	11	13	74	156	254
CC - Group Home	---	1	21	84	106
CC - Residential	---	---	20	70	90
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	1	16	35	52
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	1	---	9	37	47
<b>Total</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>1,333</b>

### Central Regional Office

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Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity								Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Other <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(7)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	159	14	88	1	2	---	10	19	293
FC - Child Specific	46	10	34	1	3	---	2	8	104
FC - Unrestricted	139	25	108	8	1	---	11	20	312
FC - Pre-Adoptive	31	8	22	1	---	---	5	8	75
FC - IFC (contracted)	118	31	77	5	---	1	14	8	254
CC - Group Home	65	9	27	1	---	---	2	2	106
CC - Residential	58	8	21	---	---	---	1	2	90
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	30	4	13	---	---	---	4	1	52
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	26	3	15	---	---	1	1	1	47
<b>Total</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>1,333</b>

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### North Central Area Office

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Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	30	15	24	15	84
FC - Child Specific	4	3	3	3	13
FC - Unrestricted	19	16	18	26	79
FC - Pre-Adoptive	5	9	4	1	19
FC - IFC (contracted)	2	6	17	45	70
CC - Group Home	---	1	5	27	33
CC - Residential	---	---	3	11	14
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	1	6	12	19
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	2	4	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>337</b>

### North Central Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	53	1	21	1	1	7	84
FC - Child Specific	6	1	5	---	---	1	13
FC - Unrestricted	36	5	29	4	---	5	79
FC - Pre-Adoptive	10	1	4	---	2	2	19
FC - IFC (contracted)	38	7	20	1	3	1	70
CC - Group Home	21	1	8	1	1	1	33
CC - Residential	5	1	7	---	1	---	14
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	11	3	4	---	---	1	19
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	4	---	2	---	---	---	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>337</b>

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### South Central Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	14	18	23	14	69
FC - Child Specific	2	3	14	12	31
FC - Unrestricted	23	12	16	23	74
FC - Pre-Adoptive	3	5	5	3	16
FC - IFC (contracted)	2	---	10	19	31
CC - Group Home	---	---	8	11	19
CC - Residential	---	---	4	17	21
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	2	6	8
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	---	9	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>278</b>

### South Central Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity								Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Other <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(7)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	48	6	7	---	---	---	3	5	69
FC - Child Specific	17	1	8	---	3	---	---	2	31
FC - Unrestricted	48	5	14	---	1	---	---	6	74
FC - Pre-Adoptive	12	---	1	1	---	---	1	1	16
FC - IFC (contracted)	22	2	4	---	---	1	1	1	31
CC - Group Home	17	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	19
CC - Residential	18	1	2	---	---	---	---	---	21
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	7	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	8
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	7	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>278</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

<sup>(6)</sup> Includes Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islanders.

<sup>(7)</sup> Multi-Racial = two or more races.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Worcester East Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	20	19	24	8	71
FC - Child Specific	7	4	15	12	38
FC - Unrestricted	27	23	24	15	89
FC - Pre-Adoptive	7	11	6	2	26
FC - IFC (contracted)	2	3	31	50	86
CC - Group Home	---	---	3	25	28
CC - Residential	---	---	6	19	25
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	6	7	13
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	6	18	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>400</b>

### Worcester East Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity							Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Other <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(7)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	24	1	39	---	---	5	2	71
FC - Child Specific	12	6	15	1	---	1	3	38
FC - Unrestricted	30	3	42	---	---	9	5	89
FC - Pre-Adoptive	5	7	10	---	---	1	3	26
FC - IFC (contracted)	33	8	34	---	---	8	3	86
CC - Group Home	15	3	9	---	---	---	1	28
CC - Residential	14	2	8	---	---	---	1	25
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	8	---	3	---	---	2	---	13
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	13	1	7	---	1	1	1	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>400</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Worcester West Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	12	13	19	21	65
FC - Child Specific	3	3	2	14	22
FC - Unrestricted	23	7	20	20	70
FC - Pre-Adoptive	4	7	3	0	14
FC - IFC (contracted)	5	4	16	42	67
CC - Group Home	---	---	5	21	26
CC - Residential	---	---	7	23	30
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	2	10	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	1	---	1	6	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>314</b>

### Worcester West Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity							Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	31	6	21	---	2	1	4	65
FC - Child Specific	11	2	6	---	---	1	2	22
FC - Unrestricted	25	12	23	4	---	2	4	70
FC - Pre-Adoptive	4	---	7	---	---	1	2	14
FC - IFC (contracted)	25	14	19	4	---	2	3	67
CC - Group Home	12	4	9	---	---	1	---	26
CC - Residential	21	4	4	---	---	---	1	30
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	4	1	5	---	---	2	---	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	2	2	4	---	---	---	---	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>314</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

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<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### North East Regional Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	65	56	76	106	303
FC - Child Specific	5	7	17	41	70
FC - Unrestricted	85	61	62	88	296
FC - Pre-Adoptive	13	8	16	5	42
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	5	5
FC - IFC (contracted)	49	24	65	189	327
CC - Group Home	---	---	16	114	130
CC - Residential	---	---	15	101	116
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	2	50	52
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	6	4	5	73	88
<b>Total</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>772</b>	<b>1,429</b>

### North East Regional Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity							Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	160	20	86	14	---	13	10	303
FC - Child Specific	43	3	20	2	---	1	1	70
FC - Unrestricted	110	24	115	24	1	11	11	296
FC - Pre-Adoptive	29	1	9	1	---	1	1	42
FC - Independent Living	3	---	1	---	---	1	---	5
FC - IFC (contracted)	130	26	141	11	---	14	5	327
CC - Group Home	74	10	42	---	---	3	1	130
CC - Residential	52	12	37	3	---	9	3	116
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	20	8	19	3	---	2	---	52
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	30	4	40	11	---	---	3	88
<b>Total</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1,429</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Cape Ann Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	17	10	14	19	60
FC - Child Specific	1	3	5	6	15
FC - Unrestricted	14	5	9	8	36
FC - Pre-Adoptive	1	3	3	---	7
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	1	1
FC - IFC (contracted)	---	2	7	25	34
CC - Group Home	---	---	3	27	30
CC - Residential	---	---	1	22	23
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	---	8	8
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	---	9	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>223</b>

### Cape Ann Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	42	2	14	1	1	60
FC - Child Specific	15	---	---	---	---	15
FC - Unrestricted	21	5	8	---	2	36
FC - Pre-Adoptive	5	---	2	---	---	7
FC - Independent Living	1	---	---	---	---	1
FC - IFC (contracted)	25	---	7	---	2	34
CC - Group Home	21	2	5	1	1	30
CC - Residential	12	3	5	2	1	23
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	6	1	1	---	---	8
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	4	1	3	---	1	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>223</b>

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<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

<sup>(6)</sup> Multi-Racial = two or more races.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Haverhill Area Office

**Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08**  
**Age Groups by Type of Placement**

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	12	14	20	14	60
FC - Child Specific	---	1	---	2	3
FC - Unrestricted	16	6	6	8	36
FC - Pre-Adoptive	2	2	4	2	10
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	1	1
FC - IFC (contracted)	7	6	15	31	59
CC - Group Home	---	---	3	22	25
CC - Residential	---	---	1	10	11
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	0	11	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	1	2	1	9	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>229</b>

### Haverhill Area Office

**Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08**  
**Race by Type of Placement**

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	41	2	13	---	---	4	60
FC - Child Specific	1	---	2	---	---	---	3
FC - Unrestricted	23	3	9	1	---	---	36
FC - Pre-Adoptive	9	---	1	---	---	---	10
FC - Independent Living	---	---	1	---	---	---	1
FC - IFC (contracted)	42	3	13	---	---	1	59
CC - Group Home	20	---	5	---	---	---	25
CC - Residential	8	---	2	---	1	---	11
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	6	1	4	---	---	---	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	10	---	3	---	---	---	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>229</b>

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<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

<sup>(6)</sup> Multi-Racial = two or more races.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Lawrence Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	7	6	4	15	32
FC - Child Specific	---	---	---	4	4
FC - Unrestricted	22	19	15	26	82
FC - Pre-Adoptive	1	---	2	1	4
FC - IFC (contracted)	5	5	16	51	77
CC - Group Home	---	---	2	29	31
CC - Residential	---	---	5	24	29
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	---	9	9
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	3	1	1	17	22
<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>290</b>

### Lawrence Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	2	1	27	---	---	2	32
FC - Child Specific	1	---	3	---	---	---	4
FC - Unrestricted	13	3	60	3	---	3	82
FC - Pre-Adoptive	1	---	3	---	---	---	4
FC - IFC (contracted)	16	---	58	---	1	2	77
CC - Group Home	10	---	21	---	---	---	31
CC - Residential	9	2	16	---	1	1	29
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	9	---	---	---	9
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	3	---	18	---	---	1	22
<b>Total</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>290</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

<sup>(6)</sup> Multi-Racial = two or more races.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Lowell Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	21	15	19	46	101
FC - Child Specific	4	3	6	18	31
FC - Unrestricted	27	21	21	33	102
FC - Pre-Adoptive	6	2	4	2	14
FC - IFC (contracted)	5	2	13	43	63
CC - Group Home	---	---	6	14	20
CC - Residential	---	---	5	31	36
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	---	12	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	2	1	1	22	26
<b>Total</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>405</b>

### Lowell Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	49	6	26	13	5	2	101
FC - Child Specific	20	1	6	2	1	1	31
FC - Unrestricted	36	7	28	17	9	5	102
FC - Pre-Adoptive	10	---	3	1	---	---	14
FC - IFC (contracted)	24	7	23	8	1	---	63
CC - Group Home	12	1	7	---	---	---	20
CC - Residential	18	5	9	2	1	1	36
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	4	2	1	3	2	---	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	7	---	7	11	---	1	26
<b>Total</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>405</b>

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Lynn Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	8	11	19	12	50
FC - Child Specific	---	---	6	11	17
FC - Unrestricted	6	10	11	13	40
FC - Pre-Adoptive	3	1	3	---	7
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	3	3
FC - IFC (contracted)	32	9	14	39	94
CC - Group Home	---	---	2	22	24
CC - Residential	---	---	3	14	17
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	2	10	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	2	16	18
<b>Total</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>282</b>

### Lynn Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	26	9	6	1	7	1	50
FC - Child Specific	6	2	9	---	---	---	17
FC - Unrestricted	17	6	10	4	2	1	40
FC - Pre-Adoptive	4	1	---	---	1	1	7
FC - Independent Living	2	---	---	---	1	---	3
FC - IFC (contracted)	23	16	40	3	12	---	94
CC - Group Home	11	7	4	---	2	---	24
CC - Residential	5	2	5	1	4	---	17
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	4	4	4	---	---	---	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	6	3	9	---	---	---	18
<b>Total</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>282</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Metro Regional Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	46	54	78	62	240
FC - Child Specific	2	4	16	29	51
FC - Unrestricted	62	31	45	66	204
FC - Pre-Adoptive	30	16	15	4	65
FC - IFC (contracted)	21	11	38	112	182
CC - Group Home	---	---	16	119	135
CC - Residential	---	---	15	141	156
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	1	3	50	54
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	1	2	3	38	44
<b>Total</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>621</b>	<b>1,131</b>

### Metro Regional Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity								Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Other <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(7)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	162	31	30	---	1	1	5	10	240
FC - Child Specific	31	7	7	3	---	---	2	1	51
FC - Unrestricted	116	37	26	4	---	---	11	10	204
FC - Pre-Adoptive	46	5	7	1	---	---	3	3	65
FC - IFC (contracted)	88	38	39	3	---	---	9	5	182
CC - Group Home	86	26	17	2	---	---	3	1	135
CC - Residential	105	24	19	2	---	---	3	3	156
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	27	10	10	1	---	---	2	4	54
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	21	8	10	2	---	---	2	1	44
<b>Total</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1,131</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

<sup>(6)</sup> Includes Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islanders.

<sup>(7)</sup> Multi-Racial = two or more races.

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## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Arlington Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	13	8	13	15	49
FC - Child Specific	1	2	4	7	14
FC - Unrestricted	12	4	7	11	34
FC - Pre-Adoptive	9	4	1	3	17
FC - IFC (contracted)	3	1	2	28	34
CC - Group Home	---	---	3	20	23
CC - Residential	---	---	6	35	41
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	---	12	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	---	4	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>228</b>

### Arlington Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Unable to Determine	Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>		
FC - Kinship	35	3	10	---	1	---	49
FC - Child Specific	11	2	1	---	---	---	14
FC - Unrestricted	20	3	8	---	---	3	34
FC - Pre-Adoptive	12	2	1	---	1	1	17
FC - IFC (contracted)	12	6	13	1	1	1	34
CC - Group Home	12	5	6	---	---	---	23
CC - Residential	26	6	6	1	---	2	41
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	7	2	2	---	1	---	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	1	1	1	---	1	---	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>228</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

<sup>(6)</sup> Multi-Racial = two or more races.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Cambridge Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	9	6	7	8	30
FC - Child Specific	---	---	1	3	4
FC - Unrestricted	6	2	3	9	20
FC - Pre-Adoptive	4	1	3	---	8
FC - IFC (contracted)	---	2	11	16	29
CC - Group Home	---	---	4	23	27
CC - Residential	---	---	1	22	23
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	1	---	9	10
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	1	1	11	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>164</b>

### Cambridge Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	15	6	2	---	2	5	30
FC - Child Specific	3	1	---	---	---	---	4
FC - Unrestricted	8	7	4	---	1	---	20
FC - Pre-Adoptive	5	1	1	---	1	---	8
FC - IFC (contracted)	14	10	2	1	2	---	29
CC - Group Home	18	6	2	1	---	---	27
CC - Residential	15	6	2	---	---	---	23
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	4	2	3	---	1	---	10
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	5	4	4	---	---	---	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>164</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

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<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

<sup>(6)</sup> Multi-Racial = two or more races.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Coastal Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	10	16	28	16	70
FC - Child Specific	---	1	5	13	19
FC - Unrestricted	21	14	17	16	68
FC - Pre-Adoptive	5	2	5	---	12
FC - IFC (contracted)	1	5	10	29	45
CC - Group Home	---	---	1	13	14
CC - Residential	---	---	4	38	42
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	---	11	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	1	1	1	7	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>291</b>

### Coastal Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity							Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Other <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(7)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	51	10	5	---	1	2	1	70
FC - Child Specific	6	2	6	3	---	2	---	19
FC - Unrestricted	42	10	8	3	---	5	---	68
FC - Pre-Adoptive	8	1	1	1	---	1	---	12
FC - IFC (contracted)	25	9	6	---	---	5	---	45
CC - Group Home	10	2	---	---	---	2	---	14
CC - Residential	31	7	---	---	---	3	1	42
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	5	2	2	1	---	---	1	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	6	---	3	---	---	1	---	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>291</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

<sup>(6)</sup> Includes Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islanders.

<sup>(7)</sup> Multi-Racial = two or more races.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Framingham Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	8	15	14	15	52
FC - Child Specific	---	1	1	---	2
FC - Unrestricted	17	7	12	15	51
FC - Pre-Adoptive	8	3	---	1	12
FC - IFC (contracted)	5	1	3	6	15
CC - Group Home	---	---	6	27	33
CC - Residential	---	---	2	21	23
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	2	10	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	---	8	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>208</b>

### Framingham Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity							Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	32	9	8	---	1	---	2	52
FC - Child Specific	1	---	---	---	---	---	1	2
FC - Unrestricted	28	12	3	1	---	3	4	51
FC - Pre-Adoptive	8	1	3	---	---	---	---	12
FC - IFC (contracted)	4	2	5	---	---	1	3	15
CC - Group Home	24	4	3	1	---	---	1	33
CC - Residential	16	---	6	1	---	---	---	23
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	5	2	3	---	---	---	2	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	4	---	2	1	---	---	1	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>208</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

<sup>(6)</sup> Multi-Racial = two or more races.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Malden Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	6	8	16	8	38
FC - Child Specific	1	---	5	6	12
FC - Unrestricted	6	3	6	15	30
FC - Pre-Adoptive	4	6	6	---	16
FC - IFC (contracted)	12	2	12	31	57
CC - Group Home	---	---	2	34	36
CC - Residential	---	---	2	25	27
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	1	8	9
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	1	8	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>234</b>

### Malden Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	29	2	5	---	---	2	38
FC - Child Specific	10	2	---	---	---	---	12
FC - Unrestricted	18	4	3	---	2	3	30
FC - Pre-Adoptive	13	---	1	---	---	2	16
FC - IFC (contracted)	32	10	13	1	---	1	57
CC - Group Home	22	9	5	---	---	---	36
CC - Residential	17	5	5	---	---	---	27
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	6	2	---	---	---	1	9
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	5	3	---	1	---	---	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>234</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Southeast Regional Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	92	78	98	108	376
FC - Child Specific	8	8	14	40	70
FC - Unrestricted	151	80	80	110	421
FC - Pre-Adoptive	37	20	19	4	80
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	4	4
FC - IFC (contracted)	17	28	66	182	293
CC - Group Home	---	1	17	115	133
CC - Residential	---	---	26	127	153
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	13	73	86
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	2	1	2	49	54
<b>Total</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>812</b>	<b>1,670</b>

### Southeast Regional Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity							Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	257	38	46	2	3	18	12	376
FC - Child Specific	46	9	9	---	---	3	3	70
FC - Unrestricted	234	65	59	4	---	44	15	421
FC - Pre-Adoptive	56	8	8	---	---	5	3	80
FC - Independent Living	2	1	1	---	---	---	---	4
FC - IFC (contracted)	163	55	50	2	---	13	10	293
CC - Group Home	76	31	16	---	1	4	5	133
CC - Residential	98	27	21	1	---	3	3	153
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	49	19	8	---	---	8	2	86
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	32	7	8	---	1	1	5	54
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,013</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>1,670</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

<sup>(5)</sup> Hispanic includes all races.

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Brockton Area Office

**Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08**  
**Age Groups by Type of Placement**

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	9	4	5	16	34
FC - Child Specific	1	4	1	6	12
FC - Unrestricted	24	15	8	14	61
FC - Pre-Adoptive	21	5	3	2	31
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	1	1
FC - IFC (contracted)	3	7	8	38	56
CC - Group Home	---	---	2	21	23
CC - Residential	---	---	5	31	36
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	1	14	15
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	1	---	---	7	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>277</b>

### Brockton Area Office

**Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08**  
**Race by Type of Placement**

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	19	9	4	---	1	1	34
FC - Child Specific	4	2	3	---	1	2	12
FC - Unrestricted	21	22	8	---	6	4	61
FC - Pre-Adoptive	15	7	3	---	4	2	31
FC - Independent Living	---	---	1	---	---	---	1
FC - IFC (contracted)	21	21	10	---	1	3	56
CC - Group Home	9	9	4	1	---	---	23
CC - Residential	16	11	6	---	1	2	36
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	7	6	2	---	---	---	15
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	5	2	---	---	---	1	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>277</b>

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Cape Cod & Islands Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	9	11	12	8	40
FC - Child Specific	3	4	3	8	18
FC - Unrestricted	14	6	14	14	48
FC - Pre-Adoptive	5	2	1	---	8
FC - Independent Living	---	---	---	3	3
FC - IFC (contracted)	1	2	11	28	42
CC - Group Home	---	---	0	7	7
CC - Residential	---	---	4	18	22
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	---	13	13
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	---	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>203</b>

### Cape Cod & Islands Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	27	3	3	3	4	---	40
FC - Child Specific	11	2	3	---	2	---	18
FC - Unrestricted	28	4	9	---	5	2	48
FC - Pre-Adoptive	6	---	2	---	---	---	8
FC - Independent Living	2	1	---	---	---	---	3
FC - IFC (contracted)	28	3	5	---	3	3	42
CC - Group Home	5	---	---	---	1	1	7
CC - Residential	16	4	1	---	1	---	22
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	9	1	1	---	1	1	13
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	1	---	1	---	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>203</b>

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<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Fall River Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	31	18	32	35	116
FC - Child Specific	---	---	1	3	4
FC - Unrestricted	30	26	13	27	96
FC - Pre-Adoptive	1	1	2	1	5
FC - IFC (contracted)	---	1	13	24	38
CC - Group Home	---	---	10	23	33
CC - Residential	---	---	4	16	20
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	4	15	19
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	---	10	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>341</b>

### Fall River Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Unable to Determine	Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>		
FC - Kinship	80	9	15	2	6	4	116
FC - Child Specific	1	2	1	---	---	---	4
FC - Unrestricted	50	13	10	4	18	1	96
FC - Pre-Adoptive	3	---	1	---	1	---	5
FC - IFC (contracted)	21	5	5	2	5	---	38
CC - Group Home	27	3	2	---	1	---	33
CC - Residential	16	2	2	---	---	---	20
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	12	---	4	---	3	---	19
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	7	2	1	---	---	---	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>341</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> FC = foster care CC = congregate care

<sup>(2)</sup> STARR = Stabilization and Rapid Reintegration (short-term residential placement service)

<sup>(3)</sup> "Other" includes locations such as hospitals and other state agencies, as well as consumers on the run from placement.

<sup>(4)</sup> Excluding Hispanic/Latino

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## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### New Bedford Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	17	22	25	16	80
FC - Child Specific	3	---	7	7	17
FC - Unrestricted	46	15	15	17	93
FC - Pre-Adoptive	6	3	6	1	16
FC - IFC (contracted)	11	13	19	56	99
CC - Group Home	---	1	3	41	45
CC - Residential	---	---	5	35	40
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	4	8	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	1	---	2	18	21
<b>Total</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>423</b>

### New Bedford Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	52	9	13	1	5	80
FC - Child Specific	13	2	1	---	1	17
FC - Unrestricted	48	7	25	8	5	93
FC - Pre-Adoptive	14	---	1	---	1	16
FC - IFC (contracted)	51	16	25	3	4	99
CC - Group Home	18	12	10	2	3	45
CC - Residential	24	4	10	1	1	40
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	4	7	1	---	---	12
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	11	1	6	---	3	21
<b>Total</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>423</b>

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Plymouth Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	11	11	14	12	48
FC - Child Specific	---	---	1	7	8
FC - Unrestricted	21	13	12	28	74
FC - Pre-Adoptive	1	6	5	---	12
FC - IFC (contracted)	---	3	8	17	28
CC - Group Home	---	---	2	5	7
CC - Residential	---	---	4	3	7
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	3	13	16
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	1	---	6	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>207</b>

### Plymouth Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08

Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity							Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Native American <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	37	1	5	---	---	5	---	48
FC - Child Specific	6	1	1	---	---	---	---	8
FC - Unrestricted	49	13	5	---	---	6	1	74
FC - Pre-Adoptive	11	1	---	---	---	---	---	12
FC - IFC (contracted)	21	6	1	---	---	---	---	28
CC - Group Home	5	2	---	---	---	---	---	7
CC - Residential	5	1	---	1	---	---	---	7
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	11	2	---	---	---	2	1	16
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	6	---	---	---	1	---	---	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>207</b>

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Taunton/Attleboro Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	15	12	10	20	57
FC - Child Specific	1	---	1	9	11
FC - Unrestricted	16	5	18	10	49
FC - Pre-Adoptive	3	3	2	---	8
FC - IFC (contracted)	2	2	7	18	29
CC - Group Home	---	---	0	17	17
CC - Residential	---	---	4	23	27
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	1	10	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	---	6	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>215</b>

### Taunton/Attleboro Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	42	6	6	1	2	57
FC - Child Specific	11	---	---	---	---	11
FC - Unrestricted	38	6	2	1	2	49
FC - Pre-Adoptive	7	---	1	---	---	8
FC - IFC (contracted)	21	3	4	1	---	29
CC - Group Home	12	4	---	---	1	17
CC - Residential	21	4	2	---	---	27
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	6	3	---	2	---	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	3	2	---	---	1	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>215</b>

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Boston Regional Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	53	31	44	61	189
FC - Child Specific	7	3	11	19	40
FC - Unrestricted	64	23	26	90	203
FC - Pre-Adoptive	15	10	3	3	31
FC - IFC (contracted)	38	29	52	143	262
CC - Group Home	---	---	11	75	86
CC - Residential	---	1	20	104	125
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	4	6	18	28
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	1	7	68	76
<b>Total</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>1,040</b>

### Boston Regional Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	39	97	41	---	6	6	189
FC - Child Specific	6	20	10	---	2	2	40
FC - Unrestricted	22	115	45	6	5	10	203
FC - Pre-Adoptive	13	9	5	1	1	2	31
FC - IFC (contracted)	47	123	78	4	3	7	262
CC - Group Home	10	51	21	2	---	2	86
CC - Residential	23	63	30	2	3	4	125
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	3	14	8	---	1	2	28
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	8	40	20	3	3	2	76
<b>Total</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1,040</b>

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Dimock Street Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	19	9	10	18	56
FC - Child Specific	2	---	2	6	10
FC - Unrestricted	12	4	3	9	28
FC - Pre-Adoptive	1	3	1	2	7
FC - IFC (contracted)	8	5	11	32	56
CC - Group Home	---	---	3	19	22
CC - Residential	---	---	4	22	26
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	2	4	4	10
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	---	16	16
<b>Total</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>231</b>

### Dimock Street Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	8	37	5	2	4	56
FC - Child Specific	---	6	3	---	1	10
FC - Unrestricted	3	19	4	---	2	28
FC - Pre-Adoptive	4	2	1	---	---	7
FC - IFC (contracted)	1	32	21	---	2	56
CC - Group Home	1	16	5	---	---	22
CC - Residential	6	13	6	---	1	26
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	1	7	1	---	1	10
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	10	5	---	1	16
<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>231</b>

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Harbor Area Office

**Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08**  
**Age Groups by Type of Placement**

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	8	3	9	9	29
FC - Child Specific	---	1	4	5	10
FC - Unrestricted	13	4	2	9	28
FC - Pre-Adoptive	10	3	1	1	15
FC - IFC (contracted)	14	13	15	38	80
CC - Group Home	---	---	1	15	16
CC - Residential	---	1	7	25	33
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	1	---	3	4
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	1	10	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>226</b>

### Harbor Area Office

**Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08**  
**Race by Type of Placement**

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Unable to Determine	Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>		
FC - Kinship	13	3	10	---	2	1	29
FC - Child Specific	3	2	4	---	---	0	10
FC - Unrestricted	10	4	6	1	2	5	28
FC - Pre-Adoptive	7	2	3	1	1	1	15
FC - IFC (contracted)	31	7	37	---	2	3	80
CC - Group Home	5	3	6	2	---	---	16
CC - Residential	12	5	13	---	2	1	33
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	3	---	---	1	4
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	3	2	5	1	---	---	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>226</b>

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Hyde Park Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	9	8	7	17	41
FC - Child Specific	1	---	2	4	7
FC - Unrestricted	16	6	14	28	64
FC - Pre-Adoptive	1	4	---	---	5
FC - IFC (contracted)	9	1	12	34	56
CC - Group Home	---	---	5	21	26
CC - Residential	---	---	1	24	25
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	---	---	3	3
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	---	2	13	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>242</b>

### Hyde Park Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity					Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	7	26	8	---	---	41
FC - Child Specific	---	5	2	---	---	7
FC - Unrestricted	1	46	14	2	1	64
FC - Pre-Adoptive	1	3	---	---	1	5
FC - IFC (contracted)	7	38	9	1	1	56
CC - Group Home	2	20	3	---	1	26
CC - Residential	4	18	2	---	1	25
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	3	---	---	---	3
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	14	1	---	---	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>242</b>

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# ANNUAL PLACEMENT PROFILE

## Massachusetts Department of Children and Families

### Park Street Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Age Groups by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Age Groups				Total
	0 - 2	3 - 5	6 - 11	12 - 17	
FC - Kinship	17	11	18	17	63
FC - Child Specific	4	2	3	4	13
FC - Unrestricted	23	9	7	44	83
FC - Pre-Adoptive	3	---	1	---	4
FC - IFC (contracted)	7	10	14	38	69
CC - Group Home	---	---	2	20	22
CC - Residential	---	---	8	32	40
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	---	1	2	8	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	---	1	4	29	34
<b>Total</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>339</b>

### Park Street Area Office

Children less than 18 Years Old in Placement as of 12/31/08  
Race by Type of Placement

Placement Type <sup>(1)</sup>	Race/Ethnicity						Total
	White <sup>(4)</sup>	Black <sup>(4)</sup>	Hispanic <sup>(5)</sup>	Asian <sup>(4)</sup>	Multi-Racial <sup>(4)(6)</sup>	Unable to Determine	
FC - Kinship	11	31	18	---	2	1	63
FC - Child Specific	3	7	1	---	2	---	13
FC - Unrestricted	8	46	21	5	1	2	83
FC - Pre-Adoptive	1	2	1	---	---	---	4
FC - IFC (contracted)	8	45	11	4	---	1	69
CC - Group Home	2	12	7	---	---	1	22
CC - Residential	1	26	9	2	1	1	40
CC - STARR <sup>(2)</sup>	2	4	4	---	1	---	11
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	5	14	9	2	3	1	34
<b>Total</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>339</b>

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